

NEWS FROM RICHMOND AND OTHER PARTS OF VIRGINIA.

RICHMOND NEWS AND GOSSIP

The Governor Pardons a Footless Convict.

VICTIM OF CONSPIRACY

The Man Whose House Carter Entered in Falsely, Asked For Pardon—Reward Offered For Apprehension of Murderer—Capital Notes—Andrew Carnegie's Generosity—Died in Baltimore.

(Special to Virginian-Pilot.)

Richmond, Va., April 13.—Governor Tyler to-day granted a pardon to Ross Carter, who was convicted at the September, 1897, term of the County Court of Washington, and sentenced to five years in the penitentiary for burglary. The pardon was asked for by the Commonwealth's Attorney, the assistant attorney who prosecuted Carter, the sheriff and clerk of the county, the Mayor of Abingdon and other good citizens. As the result of a fever contracted while working in a coal mine, Carter had to have both feet amputated some years ago.

The members of the jury say they would have imposed a lighter sentence if they could have done so under the law. Carter had borne a good reputation prior to the crime and worked hard to make a living, notwithstanding his crippled condition. The Governor thinks Carter the victim of a conspiracy on the part of other persons, who escaped. It is a remarkable fact that the man whose house Carter entered asks for his pardon. Carter's prison record has been a good one.

REWARD FOR A MURDERER.

Governor Tyler has offered a reward of \$100 for the arrest and conviction of the unknown slayer of Paul Wright, in Amherst county recently. On the 2d of March last the body of Wright was found in Piney river, in Amherst county. It was thought to be at first a case of accidental drowning, but subsequently marks were discovered on the body, which raised suspicions of foul play, and these suspicions were fully confirmed by the autopsy. The authorities have no doubt that Wright was murdered and thrown into the river.

Two or three persons are suspected of the crime, but no arrests have been made.

Wright was an aged Confederate pensioner, a very poor and entirely harmless man. No motive for the crime is known.

CAPITOL NOTES.

The Governor did not go to Lynchburg to-day as he had intended, owing to the session of the Pan-Presbyterian Commission.

Congressman Claude Swanson, Congressman Sidney P. Epps and Judge J. Thompson Brown, of Nelson county, were at the Capitol to-day.

DAMAGES FOR SLANDER.

The jury in the case of W. R. Robins vs. Thos. F. Pollard, for alleged slander, rendered a verdict this afternoon awarding the plaintiff \$500 damages. Suit was brought for \$10,000.

MR. CARNEGIE'S GENEROSITY.

Mr. Andrew Carnegie has donated \$1,000 to the library fund of the Mechanics' Institute of this city. The contribution was obtained through Mr. Robert White, through whom Mr. Carnegie has offered to give the last \$10,000 of a fund of \$100,000 for the erection of a suitable building for the institute and its school of technology. The Board of Directors of the institute passed resolutions of thanks to Mr. Carnegie and made him a life member. Secretary Elliott has written to him inclosing a copy of the resolutions and acknowledging the receipt of the donation.

ILLICIT DISTILLING.

United States Deputy Marshal Sam Bendit brought to this city from Clarksville to-day Reuben Chandler, of Mecklenburg, charged with illicit distilling. Chandler was bailed in the sum of \$500 on his own recognizance for his appearance at the June term of the United States Court in Norfolk.

Deputy Bendit also arrested near Soudan, Va., on the North Carolina line, a negro named Wash Lewis, a moonshiner, who is under indictment for complicity in connection with Wm. Ramsey in illicit distilling. When Ramsey was arrested Wash Lewis escaped and has been an outlaw since. He was placed in the city jail to await trial.

DIED IN BALTIMORE.

Mrs. Zyznarah Hoffmann died in Baltimore this morning, aged 79 years. She was the relict of the Rev. Abraham Hoffmann, who served for many years as rabbi of the Beth Ababa congregation in the city. She leaves two daughters, now residing in Baltimore—Miss Clara Hoffmann and Mrs. Simon Dahshimer. The remains will reach Richmond to-morrow afternoon at 3:30 on the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac railroad, and the interment will be made in the Hebrew cemetery. Funeral services will be conducted by Rev. E. N. Cahsch, at the mortuary chapel at 4 o'clock. The officers and board of managers of the congregation of Beth Ababa will attend in a body.

SENATORIAL CONFERENCE.

HEADQUARTERS. M. Claggett Jones, of King and Queen county, arrived at Murphy's to-night and to-morrow will take charge of the headquarters of the movement for the senatorial conference.

MONSTER MASS MEETING.

There was a monster mass meeting to-night over which Governor Tyler and Rev. Dr. Caven presided jointly. Able addresses were made by Rev. Dr. William H. Roberts, of Philadelphia, on "Presbyterian Alliance," Rev. Principal D. H. McVicar, of Montreal, on "The Parent Churches of Great Britain and Ireland and Their American Daughters," Rev. Dr. J. Barrett, of New York, on "The Reformed Dutch Church of Holland and America," Rev. J. J. Good, of Reading, Pa., on "The Reformed Churches of Germany and the United States of America."

TOWN OF SUFFOLK

Many Candidates in Suffolk For City Offices.

Shot in the Heel—Found Dead—

Match Game of Ball—Green Grocers Tax—Young Lady Readers—Mr. Truett Better.

(Special to Virginian-Pilot.)

Suffolk, Va., April 13.—Somebody circulated a rumor that Mr. C. E. W. Luke, of Smithfield, Va., had been married to his father's widow, and that made him mad. Mr. Luke has published a card denying the report as false, and inferentially saying it was an imputation on young maidens to repeat such a story. After denouncing the rumor as false Mr. Luke says:

"I never had any such idea in my life, and if I wanted to get married there are plenty of girls to be had, without marrying my stepmother."

SOME WOULDN'T RUN.

There were lots of names sent in to the Town Democratic Executive Committee as candidates for the Council to enter the primary next Monday. The exact number was fifty-four. But not half of those will agree to serve if elected, and the committee has been doing a little weeding out all day. At 10 o'clock to-night just eighteen persons have agreed to run and there are several more to be seen yet. All told there will be about twenty candidates who will submit their names to the voters' inspection and pen scratches.

SHOT IN THE HEEL.

John Jasper and John Reed were fooling with a pistol down town last night when it exploded. The ball struck Reed in the heel and lodged there. The shooting is said to have been accidental. Reed's wound is not dangerous.

FOUND DEAD.

Day before yesterday a man was found dead beside the Norfolk and Western railroad track near Windsor station. He looked like a tramp. Both legs had left the trunk. Justice Holland had an inquest whose result was a verdict of death from a train.

MATCH BALL GAME.

The third in a series of match games of baseball between the Baltimore and Standpipes, local teams, took place this afternoon at Peanut Park. The Baltimore won—5 to 4. Only five innings were played. Batteries: Holland and Johnson; Taylor and Watkins. Umpire—George Knight.

WANT RECONSIDERATION.

It is understood petitions are being circulated for signatures, asking the Town Council to rescind their recent order reducing the tax on green grocers' license. It is argued the action will almost break up the market. Others think not.

YOUNG LADY READERS.

The Friday Afternoon (say it with a broad a) Reading Club will have a meeting to-morrow with Miss Louise Twitty, on City street. The hour is 4 and the readers Misses Louise Britt and Josephine Causey. A full attendance would be liked.

COUNCILMAN TRUITT BETTER.

Councilman George W. Truitt, who was taken ill in church last night with an affection resembling paralysis in a mild form, was much better to-day. He has full use of his limbs, but the vocal organs are not entirely clear. Mr. West, who was prostrated at the same time, is able to be at his office.

A LIBERAL CANDIDATE.

If a certain candidate for Mayor be elected the members of the Council who pull through with him will be fixed all right on the bicycle question. The candidate in question, who is a man of his word with ability to back it, has said if he won he would present every Councilman with a chainless wheel. That would take nine wheels and more than a year's salary to pay for them.

EVENTS IN PARAGRAPHS.

Police Officer W. L. Hubbard tonight killed a mad dog on North street. It was a setter belonging to Mr. Hersey Barnes.

Miss Mittle Williamson, of the Treasury Department, Washington D. C., is in Suffolk as the guest of Mrs. Jesse Jones, Kirby street.

Harry Bogart, youngest son of the late J. H. Bogart, of Franklin, died this week in Franklin.

Mr. Joe Holladay has finished a short stay in Richmond.

Mrs. George Bowen left to-day for a visit to Petersburg relatives.

Mr. T. B. Causton, of Richmond, registered at the Commercial Hotel to-day.

Harry Darden, who will be fourteen years old Saturday, will give some of his young friends a reception to-morrow evening from 8 to 11 at the home of his mother, Mrs. L. A. Darden, Bank and Pinner street.

The Boston Ladies' Military Band, which will give a concert at the City Hall to-morrow.

SUFFOLK ADVERTISEMENTS CITY HALL THEATER.

FRIDAY NIGHT, APRIL 14th. Special engagement of the BOSTON LADIES' MILITARY BAND, the only organization of the kind in America.

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Prices 25c, 35c, and 50c. Reserved seats on sale at Stewart's drug store, ap13-27

Hall to-morrow evening, will arrive in town at 3:17 p. m.

Rev. J. B. Dunn, rector of St. Paul's, has returned from a visit to relatives in Petersburg.

Mr. R. L. Hickson, of Danville, Va., was in town to-day.

The Epworth League Reading Circle will have a meeting to-morrow afternoon with Miss Irma Carpenter, 15 Franklin street.

Mr. Lewis Brothers has gone to Poughkeepsie, N. Y., for the purpose of completing his business education.

Frank E. Parker and wife to-day conveyed by deed to George L. Borum fifty acres of land in Cypress district; consideration, \$200.

Mr. Edward Quimby has recovered from his late illness.

Mr. H. F. Bell and daughter, Miss Mary, of Phillipsburg, Pa., came to-day to be guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton McClellan, No. 8 Grace street. Mr. McClellan is Miss Bell's uncle.

The town was billed to-day for the appearance next Tuesday of Gentry's dog and pony show.

Mr. M. A. Jacobs, of New York, was in Suffolk to-day.

A vicious mad dog was killed this week at Nurneyville.

Rev. J. F. Love is doing evangelistic work in Greensboro, N. C.

BASEBALL ECHOES.

GAMES AT RICHMOND, RADFORD AND MACON.

(By Telegraph to Virginian-Pilot.)

Richmond, Va., April 13.—The National League season of ball playing in this city ended to-day with a comedy of errors, the cast being made up of members of the Richmond and Pittsburg clubs.

The Pittsburg lads won, but the victory is no feather in their cap, for the Richmond boys put up about as poor a game as could have been played. They made errors galore, but in this respect they did no worse than the Pirates, for wild throws and errors abounded throughout the game. Score:

R.H.E. Richmond . . . 1 0 0 0 0 0 1 0—2 6 6 Pittsburg . . . 3 0 0 3 0 2 0 4—12 12 6 Batteries: Goodwyn and Bishop and Hess; Leever and Hoffer and Schriver.

Radford, Va., April 13.—Richmond College, 9; St. Albans, 6.

MACON, 5; TRINITY, 4.

Macon, Ga., April 13.—The prettiest and sharpest game of the season was witnessed by a large crowd at the baseball park this afternoon, Mercer defeating Trinity by a score of 5 to 4.

Score by innings—

R.H.E. Mercer . . . 1 0 0 0 1 0 0 2—5 8 2 Trinity . . . 0 0 0 0 0 2 0 2—4 7 Batteries: Wachtell and Copeland; Parsons and Smith.

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3 pairs Men's or Ladies' Fast Black Hose, worth 10c., a pair, to-day 6 pairs for

29c.

12 Ladies' Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, fast colors, worth 5c. each, to-day 12 for

29c.

6 yards Heavy Bleached or Unbleached Muslin, worth 5c. yard, to-day 6 yards for

29c.

3 yards best quality Table Oil Cloth, worth 20c. yard, to-day 3 yards for

29c.

6 Ladies' Bleached Vests, taped neck, worth 10c. each, to-day 6 for

29c.

7 yards Shelf Oil Cloth, pretty styles, worth 10c. yard, 7 yards for

29c.

1 lot consisting of 1 pair Child's Fast Black Hose, 1 pair Child's Side Garters, 3 Child's Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, 1 Child's Back Comb, 1 Child's Tooth Brush. The whole lot to-day for

29c.

1 lot, consisting of 1 Ladies' Belt, 1 pair Ladies' Side Combs, 1 pair Hose, 1 Ladies' Vest and 1 purse. The whole lot to-day for

29c.

1 lot, consisting of 1 pair Men's Seamless Hose, 1 pair Men's Garters, 2 hemstitched Bordered Handkerchiefs, 1 pair Suspenders and 1 dozen Collar Buttons. The whole lot to-day for

29c.

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CATARH OF THE STOMACH.

A Pleasant, Simple, Safe but Effective Cure For It.

Catarh of the stomach has long been considered the next thing to incurable. The usual symptoms are a full or bloated sensation after eating, accompanied some times with sour or watery eructations, a formation of gases, causing pressure on the lungs and heart and difficult breathing; headache, sickle appetite, nervousness and a general played out and languid feeling.

There is often a foul taste in the mouth, coated tongue, and if the interior of stomach could be seen it would show a slimy, inflamed condition.

The cure for this common and obstinate disease is found in a treatment which causes the food to be readily and thoroughly digested before it has time to ferment and irritate the delicate mucous surfaces of the stomach.

To secure a prompt and healthy digestion is the one necessary thing to do, and when normal digest on is secured the catarrhal condition will have disappeared.

According to Dr. Harrison the safest and best treatment is to use after each meal a tablet, composed of Diastase, Aspicin, Pepsin, a little Nux, Golden Seal and fruit acids.

These tablets can now be found at all drug stores under the name of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, and, not being a patent medicine, can be used with perfect safety and assurance that healthy appetite and thorough digestion will follow their regular use after meals.

Mr. N. J. Booher, of 270 Dearborn St., Chicago, Ill., writes: "Catarh is a local condition resulting from a neglected cold in the head, whereby the lining membrane of the nose becomes inflamed and the poisonous discharge therefrom, passing back into the throat, reaches the stomach, thus producing catarrh of the stomach. Medical authorities prescribe for me three years for catarrh of the stomach without cure, but to-day I am the happier of men after using only one box of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. I can not find appropriate words to express my good feeling. I have found flesh, appetite and sound rest from their use."

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Men's Suits, strong and durable, that were \$1.00, this great sale price . . . \$1.98

Men's Suits, well made, size 34 to 42, double and single-breasted, worth \$3.00, this great sale price . . . \$3.98

Men's Suits, all-wool novelties and effects, the acme of perfection and worth \$11.00, this great sale price . . . \$5.24

Boys' Suits, ages 14 to 19, fancy patterns, worth \$4.00, this great sale price . . . \$1.88

Boys' Suits, ages 14 to 19 years, Fancy Checks and Plaid. The price was \$5, but now this great sale price . . . \$3.62

Children's Suits, ages 5 to 14 years, manufactured to sell at \$1.25, this great sale price . . . 48c.

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